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SUDDEN DEATH OF
MRS. M. B. SMITH

Widow of Dr. F. M. Smith Succumbs to Heart Trouble. Survived by Five Children.

After an illness of four days, Mrs. Martha Board Smith, widow of Dr. F. M. Smith, succumbed to heart trouble at her late home on River street, Friday evening at 11:30 o'clock. Mrs. Smith was taken ill with acute indigestion and her condition grew worse from that on.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the residence at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. R. Randolph, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated. The interment was held in the Cloverport cemetery. Active pallbearers were: Messrs. Jno. D. Babbage, V. G. Babbage, J. C. Nolte, C. E. Lightfoot, Fred Ferry and R. L. Oelze.

Mrs. Smith was the daughter of Nathan Board, of Big Spring, Breckinridge county, where she was born seventy years ago. While in girlhood Mrs. Smith became converted to the Christian faith and was fervent in the cause of Christianity to the end. She was a very loyal member of the Cloverport Methodist church and was active in various branches of church service during her entire membership of several years. She possessed a kind and indulgent spirit, and was a devoted mother.

Mrs. Smith's first marriage was to Mr. Lafayette LaHeist, and to this union one daughter was born, Mrs. Lafayette LaHeist Reid, wife of Mr. L. T. Reid, of Cloverport. About forty years ago, Mrs. Smith married Dr. F. M. Smith, who was a prominent local physician. They had four children: Three daughters, Miss Frances Smith, Miss Ella Smith and Mrs. Thos. J. Perry; one son, Libbon Smith all of whom reside here. Surviving with the children are eight grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. C. W. Moorman, Cloverport and Mrs. Charles F. Brant, of Newark, N. J.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE OPENS 22ND

Forecasted Many Changes Will Be Made Among Ministers in Louisville M. E. Conference

Hopkinsville, Ky., Sept. 1.—The seventy-fifth annual session of the Louisville conference of the Southern Methodist church will convene at Russellville, September 22, Bishop Denny, presiding.

This year it is forecasted that there will be many changes in pastors, several of them among the leading churches. Some of these changes will be brought about by the expiration of the four-year term. The preachers whose quadrennium is now closing are:

Bowling Green District—B. F. Copas, Bowling Green circuit; R. B. Grider, State-street, Bowling Green circuit; R. B. Grider, State-street, Bowling Green; J. P. Van Hoy, Canmer; H. C. Napier, Russellville circuit.

Columbia District—Owen T. Lee, Cane Valley; J. L. Pierce, Monticello.

Elizabethtown District—H. E. Jarboe, Bradfordsville.

Henderson District—H. B. Short, of Marion.

Hopkinsville District—None.

Louisville District—J. R. Savage, Broadway; John C. Hoskinson, Davison Memorial; W. T. Miller, Jefferson-street; James A. Chandler, Lander Memorial; George E. Faskett, Oakdale.

Owensboro District—T. B. Bandy, Fordsville; R. H. Higgins, of Hawesville.

\$20,000 AWARDED LOCAL RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

To Be Paid in Lump Sum Through Master Mechanic Ferry's Department.

Checks aggregating \$20,000 are to be paid out from the mechanical department of the L. H. & St. L. R. R. under the management of Mr. Frank Ferry, Master Mechanic of the railroad shops in Cloverport. The money is received at Mr. Ferry's office from the Louisville offices and is expected within a short time.

Payments of award, which is retroactive from May 1st, to July 31st, will be made in lump sum. \$12,000 of the \$20,000 is awarded to employees engaged at the shops, while the remaining sum goes to the trainmen.

RESOLUTIONS OF COUNTY TEACHERS

Petition County School Board To Increase Supt. Meador's Salary.

The teachers of Breckinridge county in Institute assembled do hereby resolve:

1. Realizing that the Kentucky Educational Association is a vital factor in Educational Progress we pledge ourselves to support its policies and program for larger appreciation by the people of the state of the teaching profession; and to further promote the service of the same we each promise to render our service by attending its regular annual meetings; and we hereby authorize the County Superintendent to enroll each of us as members of the Association and to deduct the fee from our salaries, that this county may stand 100 per cent in membership.

2. We consider the Kentucky Children's Home Society one of the greatest factors in eradicating illiteracy from the state, and hereby pledge that we as a body will endeavor to raise our quota for the new home.

3. To those who have brightened the room with flowers, to the musicians for their entertainment, to the ministers for their cooperation and words of encouragement, to the citizens of Hardinsburg in general for their hospitality and service, and to Kincheloe's Pharmacy for the pencils for the use of the teachers in the institute we extend to each our sincere thanks and gratitude.

4. That in the untimely death of Miss Julia Wroe, of Cloverport, Ky., Breckinridge County Teachers have lost one of their cherished, accomplished and faithful co-workers, and one who gave cheerfully of her inheritance.

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The preachers of the conference who have served more than the four-year period follow: C. B. Gentry, Stephensport, five years; J. A. Wheeler, Crofton, six years; G. P. Dillon, Madisonville, six years; D. R. Peak, Mt. Washington, five years; R. O. Penick, Hodgenville station, six years, and J. R. Morris, Mansville, five years.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED FOR LADIES AID SOCIETY.

The annual election of officers for the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church was held Monday afternoon, Sept. 6. Those elected to hold office were: Mrs. A. A. Simmons, president; Mrs. Helen Adams, vice president; Mrs. Charles Jackson, 2nd vice president; Mrs. R. B. Pierce, secretary; Miss Elizabeth Skillman, treasurer.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Laura Critchloe are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a 12 pound girl on August 28th, Gladys Gertrude.

DEMOCRATS OPEN CAMPAIGN IN CO.

Meeting at County Seat Sept. 11. Mrs. Sallie Beard, Vice Chairman Woman's Campaign in County.

Saturday at one o'clock in the Court House at Hardinsburg, the Democratic voters of Breckinridge county, both men and women will open an intensive campaign drive for democracy in the county previous to the November election.

Mr. C. Vic Robertson, chairman Democratic campaign committee in Breckinridge, has arranged to have two notable speakers for the meeting and they are the Hon. David H. Kincheloe, member of Congress from second district, and Mrs. Samuel Castleman, of Louisville, besides other prominent speakers.

Mrs. Sallie M. Beard, of Hardinsburg, has been appointed vice chairman for the women's Democratic campaign committee in Breckinridge county, and a number of young women in Cloverport have been appointed vice chairmen in their respective precincts.

This first campaign meeting will, no doubt, be entirely different from any others held in the county owing to the presence of the women of whom a considerable number will possibly be represented. Mrs. Beard is urging the vice chairmen in the precincts to make a house to house canvass of the women voters and "round them up" for democracy.

NEW KIND WHEAT WIDELY GROWN

Kanred Has Been Successfully Raised in Kansas; Has Fine Yield.

Deep interest in the success of Kanred wheat reported from Kansas is being shown by specialists of the Bureau of Plant Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. According to reports this year's acreage of Kanred is estimated by Kansas authorities to have been about 300,000 acres. Of this total area 15,000 to 20,000 acres, grown by selected farmers, have been carefully inspected in the field by representatives of the Kansas Agricultural College and certified as furnishing sources of seed of high quality and purity.

Kanred is a variety of hard red winter wheat developed by the Kansas Agricultural Experiment Station. It was obtained by selection from the Crimean variety of hard red winter wheat introduced from Russia by the Bureau of Plant Industry of the Federal Department of Agriculture and widely grown in Kansas and adjacent States.

It was developed by the Kansas scientists with special reference to conditions there and has proved to be a better yielder by 3 to 5 bushels to the acre compared with other hard red winter wheats. Its better yield is due in part to greater resistance to winterkilling and to rust and in part to its slightly earlier ripening say specialists of the department.

MISS MCGAVOCK ELECTED PRINCIPAL FRANKLIN SCHOOL IN PADUCAH.

Miss Leonora McGavock has been elected principal of the Franklin Departmental School in Paducah which is next to the largest of the eight public schools in that city. Last year Miss McGavock taught history in the same school and was re-elected for the place this year. She received the notice Monday of her election as principal. There are four hundred pupils in the school.

Miss McGavock is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon McGavock, and she has shown exceptional ability as a teacher. She will leave for Paducah on Thursday.

"JOE MULHATTON, JR." BUYS 35 ACRE FARM.

Mr. Joe Carter, popularly known as "Joe Mulhatton, Jr." through his writings in The Breckinridge News, has purchased a farm, consisting of 35 acres and a residence, for the sum of \$900. The farm belonged to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Miller and adjoins Mr. and Mrs. Flody Carter's farm near the pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and four children, Paul Clara Ruth, Sue Elizabeth and Richard Samuel contemplate going to Cannelton to reside.

RESIDENTS OF OKLAHOMA VISITING FORMER HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Guard Agnew, of Oklahoma City, Okla., who moved there twelve years ago from Cloverport, are here on their first visit since that time and the guests of Mrs. Agnew's sister, Mrs. Nat Tucker, and Mr. Tucker.

Before going home Mr. and Mrs. Agnew and Mrs. Tucker will visit Mrs. Thos. Blaine in New Windsor, Ill., who is a sister of Mrs. Agnew and Mrs. Tucker.

C'PORT GAS CO. TO INCREASE RATES

City Council Grants Company Permission For a Raise. Claims Allowed at Monthly Meeting.

Monthly meeting of the City Council was held Monday night. Mayor Barry called the meeting to order. R. L. Oelze, City Clerk, called the roll of members. Henry Yeager, Marion Behen, Chas. Hamman, Ed Gregory and L. C. Taul, councilmen were present.

The clerk then read the minutes of last meeting which were approved. The following claims and accounts were allowed:

Cloverport Electric Light Plant bill for street lights for August \$165.

The Breckinridge News allowed \$10 for Tax Book and \$5 for doggers.

John Weisenberg, 40 cents for meal for prisoner and \$1 for sign board.

The Street Committee filed its report and ordered to continue its work of cleaning up.

R. T. Polk was appointed City Assessor and salary fixed at \$75 a year.

Geo. Harris asked for a building permit to build a shed in front of his stable, as the specification did not comply with the ordinance, he was refused, but granted a permit to build one of all metal.

W. J. Worden also asked for a permit to add some improvements to his property which was granted.

The Cloverport Gas Co., asked for permission to raise its rates on gas. The Company claimed that the high cost of labor and materials made it necessary to raise the price. They asked for a flat rate of \$1.50 per month for 2,500 feet and 60c per 1,000 feet additional. The claim was granted.

The violation of automobile ordinance was ordered to be rigidly enforced. Speeding, no back lights, glaring headlights and unnecessary blowing auto horns and turning abruptly in center of squares.

On complaint of several citizens that the old warehouse known as the Gregory & Co. Warehouse was a fire trap and a nuisance and in a tumbled down condition, and likely to fall and injure some one. The Mayor was ordered to take steps at once for either its removal or the owner promptly repair it. The old frame building standing on what is known as the old Carter lot in the lower end of the city was ordered to be torn down at once.

T. F. SAWYER BUYS PROPERTY IN HAWESVILLE.

John Quisenberry of this city sold the building in which the Post Office is located in this city to Mr. Tom Sawyer for \$2,200. The deed was made last Thursday. Mr. Sawyer stated that he contemplated making no change in regard to the Post Office and that the property would be rented to the Government as in the past. —Hancock Clarion.

MARRIED WHILE ON VISIT IN NORTH DAKOTA.

Miss Eliza Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Miller, of near Hardinsburg, became the bride of Thomas Hastings Miller, while visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller, of North Dakota.

The groom is a prosperous farmer and the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Moorman, of North Dakota, who moved there three years ago from Vanzant, Ky.

VISITORS FROM ALEXIS, ILL., VISITING IN COUNTY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Armstrong and children, Wickliffe, Willa T. Helen and Ruth, who motored here from Alexis, Ill., were in Cloverport, last week visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Atwood. From here they went to Sample, where they will visit relatives on their return trip home.

BRECKINRIDGE COUNTY BANKERS ATTENDING BANKERS ASSOCIATION

The bankers from Breckinridge county who will be in Louisville, Tuesday and Wednesday attending the Kentucky Bankers Association are Mr. Geo. E. Bess, of The Hardinsburg Bank & Trust Co., and Joe E. Crume of the Farmers Bank & Trust Co., Hardinsburg. Messrs J. D. Lyddan and J. C. Payne, of The First State Bank, and Mr. E. H. Shellman, of E. H. Shellman's Bank, Irvington. The Association opened its twenty-eighth annual session Tuesday morning in the Seelbach Hotel.

ST. ROSE SCHOOL HAS 101 PUPILS FIRST DAY

The St. Rose parochial school opened Monday morning with 101 pupils present. This is an increase over last year's first day attendance.

MARRIED IN HAWESVILLE

Mr. Hardy Wilson, 22 years, and Miss Nettie Davis, age 21, both of Breckinridge county, were married in Hawesville, Saturday, Aug. 28, by county clerk Mr. Lamar.

IRVINGTON COUPLES MARRY IN LOUISVILLE.

Band Instructor Takes a Bride From This County.

Irvington, Sept. 6. (Special)—Miss Nannie Cowley, of Sand Hill and Mr. Wm. Inhoff, of Indiana, were married in Louisville, August 28th. They have just returned from a bridal trip to Rochester, Mo.

SUCCUMBED AFTER A SHORT ILLNESS

H. K. Drinkwater, Resident of Tobinsport, Died in Charleston, Mo.

A message was received here Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gregory of the death of Mr. H. K. Drinkwater in Charleston, Mo., on Thursday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Drinkwater, and Mr. Drinkwater, whom he was visiting. His death was due to Bright's disease after a short illness.

Mr. Drinkwater was in the seventies, and a resident of Tobinsport, Ind., where he owned a fine farm. Mr. and Mrs. Drinkwater went to Charleston, over a year ago to visit their daughter, and Mr. Drinkwater made a trip home just recently. He is survived by two daughters, a son, Mr. Hugh Drinkwater, of Tobinsport, and his widow. The burial took place in Charleston.

Mr. Drinkwater was one of the leading citizens of Perry county, and was also well known in Cloverport.

MAY CHANGE METHOD CURING WEED

Artificial Heat Is Likely To Be Resorted To More Generally. Found Safer.

Leighton, Ky., Sept. 3.—In the annual report of the Kentucky Experiment Station which is just off press, Director Thomas Cooper writes: "For several years past the Experiment Station has been attempting to determine a method of curing burley tobacco by artificial heat. Enough work has been completed to show that as high grade of leaf can be obtained by flue-curing at a relatively low temperature as by air curing, thus eliminating completely the danger of house burning."

With the increasing importance of the burley tobacco industry, it is probable that the use of artificial heat may be advantageously resorted to more generally. This would hold true especially in seasons when climate conditions are unfavorable for curing.

Scarcity of Wood

During the past year, curing experiments were conducted with dark tobacco as grown in Western Kentucky. Export tobaccos of this region are open-fire cured giving them a strong flavor of creosote. The growing scarcity of wood in many regions is making the curing process very expensive and it is true time it will be almost impossible to secure the necessary supplies of wood at a reasonable figure. The experiments at the Experiment Station were designed to determine the possibility of accomplishing results equivalent to those obtained by open wood firing by a combina-

OVER 200 PUPILS ARE REGISTERED

Public School Opening Attended By Patrons and Board Members. New Superintendent Presided.

The Cloverport Public School opened Monday morning with chapel exercises conducted by the new Superintendent, Mr. R. T. Peters, of Winchester, Ky. In addition to the pupils there was a good representation of the patrons and members of the school attending the opening.

After the devotional exercises, Mr. Peters made a short talk giving an outline of the things he hoped to accomplish this year through the cooperation of the pupils, teachers and parents. He put particular emphasis on the need of cooperation from the parents, and stated that he had plans for re-organizing the Parent-Teachers Association. He spoke directly to the pupils and told them there would be one standard rule for the school this year and it consisted of two words, "Do Right." He added that if they would obey this rule, all friction and unnecessary trouble would be eliminated and the school would be successful. He also touched on the matter of discipline and attendance and stated that if the pupils did not attend some means would be used to force them to attend.

Teachers Introduced.

Mr. Peters introduced the teachers, the majority of whom are new members of the faculty. The first assistant to Mr. Peters is Miss Maud Griffith, of Auburn, Ky. The grade teachers include Miss Viola Beatty, Fordsville, eighth grade; Miss Lucile Givens Bowling Green, 6th and 7th grades; Miss Lillian May, Cloverport 5th and 6th grades; Miss Adele Frymire, Chenault 3rd and 4th grades, and Mrs. J. R. Randolph, Cloverport primary.

Before chapel was dismissed, Mr. D. B. Phelps chairman of the school board, made a brief speech in behalf of the board.

Over two hundred pupils registered Monday. There are several pupils out of the cooperative limits of the city who are attending the High School and who pay the nominal sum of \$1 a year for tuition.

The members of the 1920-21 Senior class are Misses Eleanor Reid, Eva Jolly, Selma Sippel and Billy Reid.

tion of flue-curing and smoking with wood smoke. The heat in flue-curing is furnished by any kind of fuel. In appearance the tobacco cured by this process is equal to open-fire-cured in all respects but does not have quite so pronounced an odor of smoke. This experiment is to be continued. It is not known how the buyers will value the leaf cured in this way.

MR. BEN TAUL, OF OKLAHOMA VISITING IN CO.

Mr. Ben Taul, of Waynoake, Okla., accompanied home his cousin, Mr. Lafe Taul and daughter, Miss Sarah Taul, and sister, Mrs. Sallie Rice, who spent two weeks in Waynoake. Mr. Taul left Monday to visit relatives in McQuady, and will return here to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullen, after an absence of nine years out of the county.

REV. MAY HERE SUNDAY.

Rev. L. K. May, Presiding Elder of the Owensboro District, will preach in the Cloverport Methodist church, Sunday morning and evening. He will also hold the fourth quarterly conference of the church which is the last one previous to the annual conference.



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